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## FAIR BOARD TO PLAN FOR MAY EVENT

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 14 — Directors of the Porterville fair will meet tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the Pacific Telephone company office on Second street to start detailed planning for the 1963 fair — May 16, 17 and 18—at the fair grounds and municipal ball park.

On the agenda will be the filling of board vacancies; discussion of premium book provisions; a report from the fair's livestock committee; a report on special awards; discussion of entertainment features for the fair and a report by Lee Martin, exhibits superintendent, on sale of commercial exhibit space and program advertising.

One important item will be the setting of a theme for the fair.

Presiding at the meeting will be Board Chairman Babe Hodgson.

The Porterville fair will move into its 16th year this year; it is the largest event of its kind in California that operates without aid of state money.

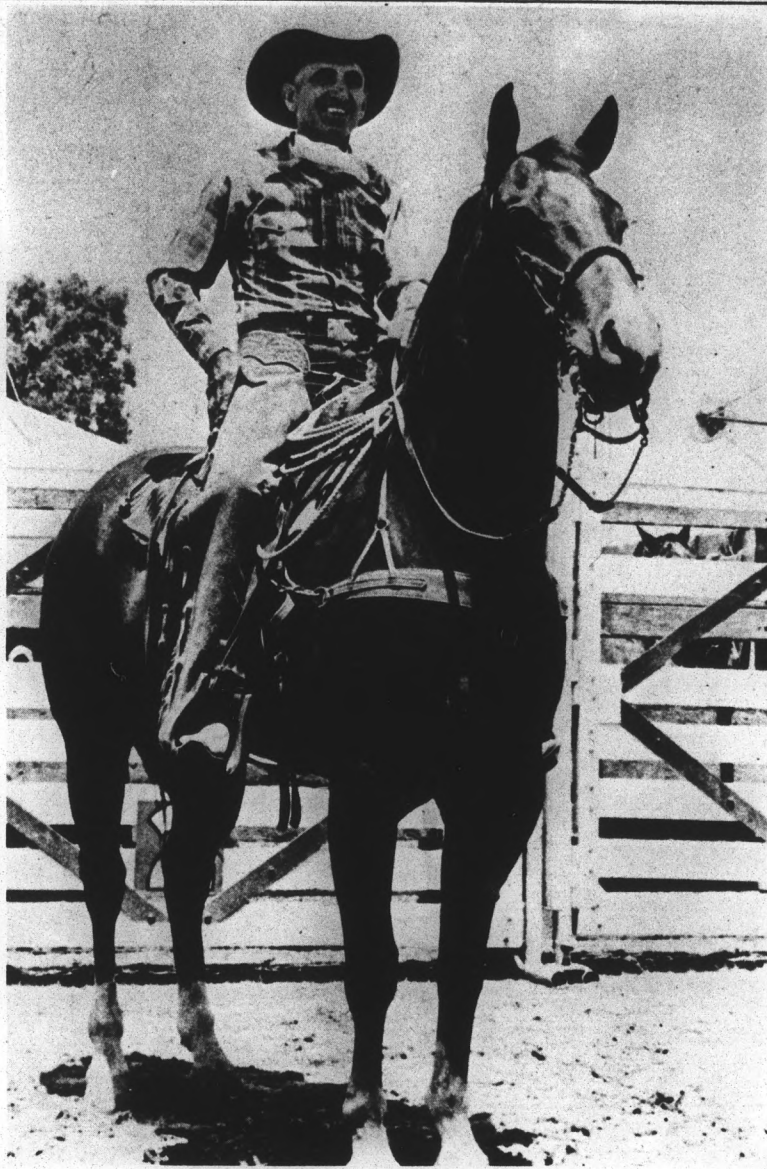
## Girls' Choir Sings On KMJ TV Sunday, March 17

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 14 — A program of Irish music, featuring a tribute to St. Patrick, will be presented by the California Girls' choir over KMJ TV, Fresno, at 5 p.m., Sunday.

The choir, in which several girls of this area sing, is under the direction of John Vaznaian, of the Porterville school faculty. Next Sunday's show will be the final TV appearance of the group this season.



NEW STAFF member for the Mt. Whitney Area Council Boy Scouts of America is Jacques (Jack) G. Van't Groenewout, who will serve the southern half of Tulare county and live in the Porterville area. A native Californian of Dutch parents, the 39-year-old Scout official, and his wife Jacolea, have six children, including a 15-year-old son who is an Eagle Scout and a 13-year-old son who is a Star Scout. He started in the Boy Scouts in 1928 as a Wolf Cub in Singapore; he has worked extensively in Scouting and joined the professional organization in 1954. Educational background includes high school, business school, and graduation from the Deventer Tropical Agricultural Engineering college in the Netherlands.



THE MEANEST broncs and bulls, and the fastest running calves in the business will be brought to the Springville Sierra Rodeo, April 5, 6 and 7, by Andy Jauregui, above, of Newhall, who is one of the

west's top suppliers of livestock on the professional rodeo circuit. Andy has been in the game for 30 years, both as a world champion cowboy himself, and as a stock contractor.

## Certification Of Budwood Favored As Method Of Quick Decline Control

VISALIA, Mar. 14 — Certification of citrus budwood coming into Central California as quick decline free was generally approved at a state department of agriculture hearing conducted in Visalia Friday by Allen B. Lemmon, chief of the division of plant industry.

Support was also given to expansion of the Meyer Lemon Free district in Central California to include newly-planted citrus areas in Kern and Madera counties. The Meyer lemon is a symptomless carrier of quick decline virus, and is considered to be a threat to the citrus industry. Eradication of Meyer lemon trees was started in Tulare county several years ago.

In a letter from Elvin Mankins, county agricultural commissioner, it was stated that there is no evidence of natural spread of quick decline in Tulare county by a vector, that all infections have been attributed to infected budwood.

The letter also said that all known infected trees, with exception of recent findings, have been destroyed.

William B. Merchant, president of the board of commissioners of the Central California Citrus Pest Control agency, said his group is ready to start a survey program to

determine extent of quick decline in the Central California citrus belt as soon as a certification program can be set up and a ruling made on the extended Meyer Lemon Free district.

Lemmon said any regulation by the state department of agriculture would not be forthcoming until late April or May; that the regulation would become effective 30 days after issuance.

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## JACKASS MAIL TO SHAKE THE OLD WEST

### THUNDERING LIE SAYS COLONEL

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Porterville, California

Suh:

I am informed by my adjutant Capt. Martin of the content of your wireless news dispatch of the 11th instant relative to the Second Annual Jackass Mail. Your otherwise very accurate report, Suh, was marred by the grossly erroneous statement, as a fact, that Col. Natzke was to be Wagonmaster for the engagement. I have no way of apprising myself where you may have laid hold of such a

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## SPRINGVILLE SIERRA RODEO WILL BE VIDEO TAPED FOR NATIONAL TELEVISION SHOW

SPRINGVILLE, Mar. 14 — Springville's 1963 rodeo will hit the "big time" this year as this western show in early April is video taped for national television release on the American Broadcasting company's "Wide World of Sports."

Verification that the show will be put on national television came late Monday to Rodeo Chairman Monte Gifford from Bill Linderman, secretary-treasurer of the Rodeo Cowboy association.

In a telegram to Gifford, Linderman said, "This is to advise you that Sports Program, Inc., has notified this association office that they intend to televise the Springville Rodeo for ABC's program, Wide World of Sports." The video release will be about 15 days after the Springville show.

Purse has been upped to \$13,200, plus entry fees, to attract the top professional cowboys of the nation in their quest for world champion points.

With the large purse and the filming of the rodeo for national television, it has become necessary to add a day to the weekend rodeo in order to accommodate competing cowboys. Dates are now Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 5, 6 and 7, Gifford says.

And to broaden the scope of the show, name has been officially changed to Springville Sierra rodeo.

Saddle bronc riding will be the featured event, with a \$675 daily purse, plus entry fee; daily purse in the other five events — bareback bronc riding, bull riding, calf roping, team roping and steer wrestling — will be \$405 plus entry fees.

RCA cowboys will pay \$50 to enter the riding events and \$75 for roping events. There will be no permits or no trade-outs for cowboys, Gifford states.

With the \$13,200 purse, plus a record number of competing cowboys, the Springville Sierra rodeo will be one of the "richest" in the West this year.

And fans will see rodeo's greatest professional performers in action during the three days of the Springville show that will be staged in the colorful bowl of the

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## SPRINGVILLE COMMITTEES GO TO WORK

SPRINGVILLE, Mar. 14 — Dust is flyin' along the trail as Springville Sierra Rodeo committee workers hit the saddle in preparation for the community's three-day show, April 5, 6 and 7, that will be video taped for later release on the national ABC television production, "Wide World of Sports".

Rodeo Chairman Monte Gifford reports that special work is underway in the colorful rodeo bowl as well as in the parking area surrounding the bowl.

Pat McDonald is donating men and equipment to regrade the entire parking area, and, in the process, set it up for Little League baseball during the summer.

"With a national broadcast being filmed; with a \$13,200 purse that will draw a record number of the world's best cowboys; and with the rodeo going to three days, all committee workers are turning on full steam," Gifford states.

Heads of general committees include: Bill Wood, gate; Jack Curtis, grounds; Darwin Griswold, concessions; Bill Murphy, and Springville post, VFW, parking; Herb Brown, arena; John Lewis and Springville chamber of commerce members, program and street decorations; Jim Barber, western parade — set for 10 a.m., April 6; Queen Coronation dance, March 30, VFW post; western dance on the community slab, April 6, 9 p.m., Ralph Umy and Springville Lions club members.

Contest to select a rodeo queen is moving along, according to Peggy Pearson, committee chairman. The 10 girls competing were judged on personality last Saturday and will be judged on horsemanship March 23.

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## RIDERS INVITED TO PARTICIPATE

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 14 — An invitation to horseback riders — individually or as organized groups — to participate in the Jackass Mail run from Springville to Porterville, March 30, has been extended by Col. Robert Natzke, chairman of the Jackass Mail committee.

In addition, persons with horse-drawn vehicles are invited to make the mail run, which will organize at the Porterville city hall at 8 a.m. on March 30, then move into the Sierra foothills toward Springville.

Persons with horsedrawn vehicles are requested to check in at the Porterville chamber of commerce office prior to the mail run, particularly if they desire stable space the night before; riders may also check, however, this is not essential.

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THIS IS the official stamp being used for the historical run of the Jackass Mail between Porterville and Springville, March 30. Designed originally by Bill Reese, the actual stamp is in three colors; it can be purchased for four bits at the offices of the Porterville and Springville chambers of commerce; letters with the stamp, mailed at the Porterville or Springville chambers, will be carried by the Jackass Mail. Col. Robert Natzke, committee chairman, points out that unlike the United States mail that has raised its rates, the Jackass Mail stamp remains at the same old original price.



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### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

William R. Rodgers  
Co-publisher, The Farm Tribune  
Porterville, California

Your column in the February 14, 1963 issue of your so-called newspaper, THE FARM TRIBUNE, contains more of your established, partisan and unfavorable political references to me. I am prompted to comment on this particular column because I think it clearly demonstrates your methods because such comment should point out to your readers that in evaluating your ramblings they should apply the legal adage "A witness false in a material part of his testimony is to be regarded with distrust with respect to all of it".

This column is illustrative of the low level of your journalistic practice. In it you state, "It appears that Porterville recently came close to losing its armory ..... Word drifted down from Sacramento that the Porterville Armory project was off and the wires got hot, quick. But Senator Howard Way and Assemblyman Myron Frew seemed to be right on the ball, and as far as anyone knows, the Porterville Armory building is on the drawing board again, and should be ready for bids soon. To this we must add there is many a slip between the cup and the lip when Washington politicians are pouring ....."

I assume that the reference to Washington politicians relates to me with the implication that any uncertainty about the armory project is my responsibility. I wish to assure you that your implication is false and that you are as wrong in your facts as you generally are.

My prime responsibility was to secure the federal money for the project. That money has been appropriated and is available. But I have not rested on the efficient discharge of my duty as a federal officer. Last year at the request of J. Claude Nelson I made inquiry of the status of funding of the State's share of the cost. I learned that money from the State for the armory was not included in the State budget. I immediately urged the Governor to support a budget amendment for that purpose and thereafter discussed the subject with Assemblyman Frew, who has joined me in this advocacy.

Contrary to the optimism expressed in your quotation, the issue is still in doubt because the Governor is strongly moved by considerations of balancing his budget without seeking new taxes. I trust that we can persuade him that economy does not begin in Porterville and you might do well to remember the Armory project the next time you have the urge to blast the Governor or some other Democrat on the subject of government spending.

The only solace I can derive from your column is your apparent praise of Myron Frew, who is my fellow Democrat and friend. If you so intended your language it is a switch because he has been a favorite target of your attacks. In any event he should consider himself fortunate because I am certain you would not accord me a kind word if the Armory were built tomorrow through my efforts.

I suspect that if I am fortunate enough to have this letter printed in the FARM TRIBUNE it will be my last such success and I would, therefore, unburden myself of a few more cogent observations.

Most of your readers don't know that The Farm Tribune is carried through the mails almost without cost. I personally would like to see this aspect of the postoffice deficit eliminated.

I should also like to comment on some of your other disqualifications as a journalist. I am thinking specifically of your lack of courage. The best example of this is your failure to editorially take a position for or against the Success Dam when its construction was a matter of active controversy. It gave you great delight, I am sure, as the Chairman of the Republican Central Committee, to play both sides of this controversy against my political career but you weren't sticking your neck out on the subject at the time of the controversy. I am certain that other people who know you can provide other examples.

Very truly yours,

Harlan Hagen

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March 14, 1963

Congressman Harlan Hagen,  
House of Representatives,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Harlan:

It was extremely gratifying to receive your scholarly, philosophical and statesman-like letter.

And we were particularly flattered to think that you chose to have it delivered to us personally by your special messenger, J. Claude Nelson.

Nice as it was to hear from you, we must confess that, in reading between the lines, we seem to detect a note of dissatisfaction. But, surely, this is only an illusion of our own over-wrought imagination.

Of course we'll reprint your letter, Harlan. After all, we would feel guilty if we did not share such a delightful bit of comment with our readers. And we know you will not mind if we include a column note here and there.

Thank you again, Harlan, for your kind communication; a letter like this from a Congressman should reassure anyone reading it that our great nation is in firm and capable hands.

Yours truly

William R. Rodgers

P.S.

Incidentally, Harlan, how's things these nights in the Washington alleys?

## Editorial Comment

### HAGEN LETTER COMMENTS

1. You assume too much. We hadn't given you a thought.
2. In a letter to Porterville's Mayor from Governor Brown, dated February 28, 1963, the Governor said, in reference to the Porterville Armory project . . . "If federal financing is available I sincerely hope that by June or July this project will be advertised for bids . . ."
3. Economy? Is this armory a political patronage deal, or is it a necessary facility tied into the defense of the nation?
4. On the contrary, we believe most of our readers know this, since we have stated editorially on a number of occasions that we believe no mail should be subsidized, including newspaper mailings under a second class permit. We agree that the postoffice deficit created through second class rates should be eliminated through increase of these rates to a cost of operation basis. We have so stated editorially. Now, Harlan, why don't you introduce a bill that would prohibit franked mailing to "Postal Patron - Local", thereby seeking to eliminating your own free mailing political ride at expense of we taxpayers?
5. We don't follow you on this one. We do recall, however, that back in the days when Success and Terminus dams were hanging in the balance in Washington, the Tulare County Board of Supervisors saw fit to spend several thousand dollars to send a former Congressman to Washington in an effort to get action on these projects. We assume they did this because they were so well satisfied with what you were doing, and because they had such great confidence in your ability.
6. Names, dates and places, please, Harlan.

4 — Visalia Times-Delta — Monday, March 4, 1963

### Our Congressman Achieves A 'First'

Tulare, Kings and Kern Counties have achieved another "first"—even though it is an honor of dubious distinction.

The Associated Press has revealed that the representative in congress for these three counties runs the most expensive office in Washington of any representative from California.

His office expenses — his payroll and office staff — rank considerably above the average for California congressmen, the AP survey showed.

The representative, Harlan Hagen, employs the full number of employees allowed by law—10 of them, while the average California representative employs seven.

One of the employees, incidentally, at least for the month of January, was the representative's wife, Martha, who was paid the sweet salary of \$728.36 for that month making quite an addition to the family income.

This newspaper has been aware of the fact for many years that the pres-

ent representative has been no bargain for the district he serves, principally because of his ineptitude.

And it is indeed adding another bitter pill to the taxpayers he is supposed to represent to be informed that they are paying an exorbitant price for that ineptitude.

On the other hand, perhaps Rep. Hagen does need all that help which costs the taxpayers nearly \$5,000 per month.

At least his own work load should not be too heavy, thus enabling him to indulge in one of his favorite cultural pursuits—listening to jazz renditions in Washington night clubs, dangerous as that might be for him. A few weeks ago, we recall, he was slugged and rolled in an alley near a night club in the small hours after attending a jazz session.

Oh well, the representative has been in jackpots before, and he still has two years again to mend his fences before the next election.

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## The Old Days



MEETING BETWEEN Porterville chamber of commerce road committee members and a group from the Owens valley this week to build up interest in, and pressure for, the extension of Highway 190 as a trans-Sierra highway was attended by Allen Basye, who, in 1923, was president of the Porterville chamber of commerce when the chamber instigated the idea of a highway across the mountains. The above photo shows the Porterville chamber's first-prize booth in the 1923 Tulare county fair using the theme, "Mt. Whitney Midland Trail". On the chamber board with Basye were Thomas B. Coull, vice president; H. C. Carr, J. A. Milligan, J. W. Trowbridge, C. C. Farnsworth and Phil Gafvert, directors. It was in this year that both Bartlett

Park and Balch Park were taken into the county park sys-

tem, with major efforts made for this move by the Porter-

ville chamber.

(Hammond Studio)

## STUDENT'S PLAY BEING STAGED AT COLLEGE

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 14 — The first production of "The Epicures", a play written by Michael Higgins, a Porterville College sophomore, is one of the features in a varied program of one act plays to be seen at the Porterville College Crowsnest Theatre March 15 and 16.

"The Bald Soprano", "The Rising of the Moon", and "Rough Atomique" are the other plays included in the presentation which is sponsored by the Porterville College student body.

Cast in various roles are John Boydston, Keith Bovetti, Sharon Duguay, J. T. Ellis, Viola Ervin, Sam Ervin, Michael Higgins, Shirley Potter, Les Wise, Janice Work, Barbara Calkins, Bob Rodgers, and Jann Wilenius.

Sam Ervin and LeRoy King are directing, assisted by Peggy Pickett, Noel Wheeler, Chris De Buzna, and Veneta Stewart.

Celery acreage in California totalled 3,930 acres as of March 1, compared to 3,085 acres a year earlier.

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DISCUSSING WAYS and means of building up steam for extension of highway 190 as a trans-Sierra route were a group from Owens valley and members of the Porterville chamber of commerce tourist and road committee who met in Porterville chamber office are, standing from left: Lloyd Ayres, of Lone Pine; Bruce Ivey, of Independence; Allen Basye, who was president of

the Porterville chamber in 1923 when a modern trans-Sierra road was first considered; and George DuFault, of Olancha. Seated is Chuck Chenhall, chairman of the Porterville chamber tourist committee. Route being pushed is included in the state highway system but would involve 53 miles of construction between Quaking Aspen and Olancha. (Farm Tribune photo)

### DEMOLAY WEEK SET MARCH 17-24

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 14—Porterville DeMolay chapter is planning an active program of participation in International DeMolay week, March 17-24.

Members will take part in the morning program at the Poplar Methodist church, March 17 to exemplify their teaching of reverence; on March 18, at 6:30 p.m., a pot-luck dinner will be served at the Masonic Temple for DeMolays, their families and friends; the public is invited to attend a program at 7:45 p.m. that will ex-

emplify the work and teachings of the order, with filial love the precept to be particularly expressed.

Each following day of the week another precept will be expressed: Tuesday, patriotism; Wednesday, courtesy; Thursday, cleanliness; Friday, comradeship, with the Porterville chapter meeting that day in Bakersfield with other Kern county chapters: Saturday, fidelity; and Sunday, reverence, with members attending the church of their choice.

The observance is sponsored by the Royal Arch Masons; the International DeMolay week is being proclaimed in Porterville by Mayor Jack Letsinger.

## LEGAL NOTICE

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#### REPORT OF JAY R. BALLANTYNE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR OF TULARE COUNTY FOR SIX MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1962

TO THE HONORABLE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TULARE:

JAY R. BALLANTYNE, Public Administrator of said County of Tulare, respectfully submits to said Superior Court this report of all estates of decedents which have come into his administration since July 1, 1962. This report is made pursuant to the provisions of Section 1150 and 1153 of the Probate Code of the State of California.

Estate Number	Name of Decedent	Total Value of Estate	Rec'd 7/1/62	DISBURSEMENTS		Distribution	Cash on Hand	Bal. of Estate 12/31/62
				Adm. Fees	Expenses			
16701	Aguayo, Arcadio	475.32	169.00	0	0	0	169.00	475.32
15958	Alvarez, Serapio F.	501.45	0	35.10	286.77	0	0	0
15684	Bartolme, Lucio	1,046.66	0	0	0	0	1,013.41	1,013.41
14844	Bassett, Frances E.	4,482.57	0	0	0	0	4,207.62	4,207.62
16226	Bright, John	393.24	0	0	0	0	0	393.24
15386	Buck, Ethel	637.96	0	0	392.64	0	89.32	89.32
15566	Carleton, Carl	27,907.77	0	0	9.52	0	1.38	27,831.53
16135	Dominguez, Jose B.	456.15	0	0	13.00	0	81.35	81.35
15258	Gayeta, Nick	1,790.00	1,250.00	0	1,301.83	0	52.16	52.16
16222	Gilliland, Don	1,030.52	0	0	23.05	0	7.47	1,007.47
14001	Grande, Julian M.	482.47	0	0	0	0	108.26	138.25
14671	Harthorn, Robert B.	1,205.00	0	0	0	0	0	1,205.00
16371	Hawes, Clarence	447.08	15.00	0	366.00	0	81.08	81.08
16302	Hinkle, Samuel M.	3,588.35	0	0	0	0	50	3,538.35
16342	Hullum, Leroy	444.06	0	0	362.49	0	81.57	81.57
16221	Jones, Della	759.45	0	0	0	0	141.28	141.28
	Jones, Laura	585.15	585.15	0	0	0	585.15	585.15
14619	Karnes, Claude M.	501.77	0	72.96	72.96	0	0	0
16227	Kennedy, Dollie	533.49	0	0	0	0	87.49	87.49
16397	Kennedy, Ernest	359.00	359.00	0	277.00	0	82.00	82.00
16625	Kirkbride, Mary	2,094.67	0	0	0	0	94.67	2,094.67
15005	Lee, Jerome	930.17	0	0	0	0	444.73	444.73
14843	Leach, Mamie	3,413.69	0	0	0	0	3,389.44	3,389.44
15826	Mason, Susie	185.00	95.00	0	32.59	0	118.64	118.64
16162	Medios, Segundo T.	1,370.04	1,025.80	0	540.71	0	759.33	809.33
14430	Mochigase, Isamu	314.05	0	0	0	0	130.55	130.55
16615	Moore, Annie E.	659.79	659.79	0	0	0	659.79	659.79
15231	Moore, Oscar B.	328.36	0	0	16.38	0	45.98	45.98
16215	McEwen, Mary Jane	2,685.90	2,685.90	0	135.24	0	2,550.66	2,550.66
16134	McSchooler, Maude	455.86	0	0	0	0	138.78	138.78
14724	Nelson, Edward	1,085.48	0	0	0	0	549.50	549.50
14920	Null, James O.	4,063.90	2,750.00	0	8.80	0	3,303.80	3,303.80
16070	Alpindo, Isabelo T.	337.87	0	0	5.00	0	147.87	312.82
16163	Pamplin, Claude E.	885.00	0	0	0	0	1.00	885.00
15960	Patton, Nettie	400.46	0	28.03	334.18	0	0	0
16133	Pierce, Orla G.	1,019.61	0	70.78	501.29	0	0	0
15077	Placio, Apolonio	1,789.01	0	0	0	0	1,303.38	1,303.38
15171	Reed, Henry	648.36	0	0	0	0	286.57	330.07
15909	Revilla, Ventura	1,244.78	0	0	39.42	0	274.37	587.47
16067	Rider, Alfred T.	1,130.67	0	0	39.99	0	1,056.43	1,056.43
15643	Stallcup, J. W.	1,262.00	0	0	1.00	0	234.00	234.00
	Sturdivant, George	301.18	0	0	0	0	301.18	301.18
15538	Tompkins, John L.	4,513.38	0	210.54	232.37	509.91	0	0
16034	Tower, Leslie W.	589.38	0	0	0	0	84.71	92.71
14155	Tsotras, Gus G.	2,134.42	0	0	803.74	0	214.96	214.96
16556	Valente, Biagio	10,403.41	132.26	0	39.99	0	92.27	10,311.14
15845	Velasco, Jacobina	321.95	0	0	0	0	321.98	321.98
16541	Welks, Ella L.	1,158.31	408.31	0	39.80	0	368.51	1,118.51
16378	White, Richard	322.41	0	0	33.25	0	289.16	289.16
15715	Williams, John W. K.	800.00	0	0	0	0	0	800.00
15769	Workman, Edward E.	1,059.09	0	0	45.67	0	500.96	564.46
15963	Young, Thaddeus	462.98	0	0	0	0	438.63	438.63

## SUMMARY PROBATE PROCEEDINGS UNDER SECTION 1144 OF THE PROBATE CODE

15376	Amerila, Herclio G.	84.72	0	0	0	0	84.72	84.72
14846	Arcangel, Ramon P.	273.25	0	0	0	0	58.45	58.45
14900	Athanson, George A.	272.29	0	0	0	0	128.70	128.70
15588	Bryant, John	264.47	264.47	0	0	0	264.47	264.47
16429	Buckmaster, Maggie L.	62.50	62.50	0	62.50	0	0	0
16690	Cardani, Peter F.	17.21	17.21	0	0	0	17.21	17.21
16691	Castaneda, Pedro	23.48	23.48	0	0	0	23.48	23.48
16195	Castro, Adolfo	1.00	0	0	0	0	0	1.00
16194	Cook, Thammer	120.00	0	0	76.18	0	0	0
14635	Crawford, Jack	14.50	0	0	0	0	14.50	14.50
16363	Crisswell, Luther	211.00	0	0	211.00	0	0	0
16210	Cruz, Bonifacio	1.50	0	0	1.50	0	0	0

### PORTERVILLE LIBRARY LISTS NEW BOOKS

When those of us who have long been fascinated by Mongolia think of books about that strange land, we think of Roy Chapman Andrews and Owen Lattimore. For years there has been no real news out of that interesting part of Asia. Now, in *NOMADS AND COMMISSARS*, Lattimore gives us an unbelievable Mongolia. There is a railroad run by Mongols, aviators and engineers, — in short, a country that has spanned centuries in one generation. Here is a buffer state, pawn in the international politics of both China and Russia, making its choice of an ally — Russia, yet maintaining its own integrity and independence. That this can be done, is cause for deep consideration.

Kenya, in the news of the past few years, has meant Mau Mau

and terror. In Elspeth Huxley's new book, *ON THE EDGE OF THE RIFT*, we see a more peaceful Kenya. Here is recreated the life of the English settler before the dawn of political awareness destroyed the possibility of a benevolent colonial rule. Mrs. Huxley's descriptions, her accounts of the wild life, her analysis of the personality of the Kikuyu, are entrancing. From it one can understand why so many white settlers want to stay in Africa, in spite of present difficulties.

Twenty-four pages of war photographs, taken in the midst of it all, show that Dickey Chappelle, only woman photographer with the armed forces, was THERE. Her book, *WHAT'S A WOMAN DOING HERE*, is a graphic and intensely interesting account of World War II, of Iwo Jima and Okinawa — then of Algeria and the FLN — of Castro in the days when his rebellion was getting un-

der way — and of her imprisonment. She parachuted into Korea, was smuggled into Algeria, and landed with the Marines in Lebanon. Her account is often amusing, but always spirited and moving, with enormous human interest.

With India's problems growing more serious day by day, one of the most significant books of this early spring is *AFTER NEHRU, WHO?*. Welles Hangen, the author, has been the Delhi correspondent for NBC since 1959, and is in a position to assess the personal and professional qualifications of the seven men and one woman most likely to be somewhere in the running when the time comes. This up-to-date book includes Menon's removal in mid-November, and clarifies for many of us the Indian situation.

Harvest of Valencia oranges is not expected to get underway until about mid-April.

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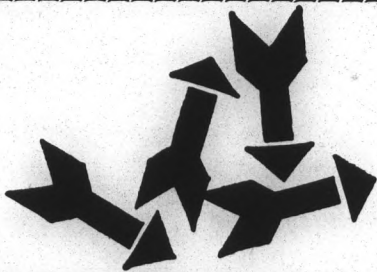
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16224	Dizon, Simporoso A.	14.90	14.90	0	0	0	14.90	14.90
16224	Dober, Joe L.	236.07	230.07	0	158.06	0	78.01	78.01
16440	Farr, Leta	77.85	77.85	0	0	0	77.85	77.85
16499	Flanagan, Chester A.	45.00	45.00	0	45.00	0	0	0
16531	Foreman, Ellen	143.00	143.00	0	143.00	0	0	0
14597	Fowler, Robert C.	57.89	0	0	0	0	57.89	57.89
16147	Galope, Ladislao Gann, Tom	25.46	0	0	0	0	25.46	25.46
16398	Gramstad, Laura	94.29	94.29	0	0	0	94.29	94.29
16023	Grimes, George	166.00	166.00	0	166.00	0	0	0
16367	Hemphill, Margaret	229.40	0	0	229.40	0	0	0
15705	Hastings, Martha	111.00	111.00	0	111.00	0	0	0
16431	Hebert, Lewis D.	3.00	0	0	0	0	2.97	2.97
15881	Hohlbauch, Marie M.	2.13	0	0	0	0	2.13	2.13
16430	Horne, James A.	32.00	0	0	0	0	32.00	32.00
16289	Hutchins, William	20.00	0	0	0	0	20.00	20.00
16357	James, Alma	7.00	0	0	7.00	0	0	0
15356	Kanada, Ukichi	170.00	170.00	0	170.00	0	0	0
16488	Keene, Gus	37.00	0	0	0	0	37.00	37.00
16552	Kelly, Benedict C.	1.20	0	0	0	0	1.20	1.20
15776	Kostenko, Theodor A.	3.55	3.55	0	3.55	0	0	0
16592	Lewis, Hugh H.	20.00	20.00	0	20.00	0	0	0
15706	Livermore, Ethel	107.09	0	0	0	0	107.09	107.09
16364	Loar, Albert F.	240.42	.42	0	0	0	.42	240.42
16365	Loveland, Horace G.	19.81	0	0	19.81	0	0	0
16365	Lowry, Albert L.	.76	0	0	0	0	.76	.76
16365	Lynch, Lowell D.	167.80	167.80	0	167.80	0	0	0
16529	Manhat, Bernardo	1.00	1.00	0	1.00	0	0	0
16715	Martin, William B.	152.65	152.65	0	152.65	0	0	0
16536	Martin, Clarence	65.57	65.57	0	0	0	65.57	65.57
16405	Meese, William	15.30	15.30	0	0	0	15.30	15.30
16299	Millet, Michael	141.35	0	0	141.35	0	0	0
16399	Morales, Sisto	.54	.54	0	0	0	.54	.54
16399	Murphy, Ronald	10.37	0	0	10.37	0	0	0
14539	McClellan, Harold B.	72.04	72.04	0	0	0	72.04	72.04
16677	McDonald, Angush W.	5.56	0	0	0	0	5.56	5.56
16524	McGuire, James W.	78.50	78.50	0	0	0	78.50	78.50
16270	Oliveras, Sempico D.	32.66	32.66	0	0	0	32.66	32.66
16451	Orr, Ethel	22.00	0	0	0	0	22.00	22.00
15357	Parinas, Agapito S.	136.70	136.70	0	136.70	0	0	0
16298	Parsons, Annie	13.25	0	0	0	0	13.25	13.25
15913	Payne, Dora	8.37	0	0	0	0	8.37	8.37
16411	Pewitt, Walter P.	59.25	0	0	0	0	59.25	59.25
16250	Phillips, Jesse	245.69	0	0	245.69	0	0	0
16249	Price, Earl U.	1.00	0	0	0	0	1.00	1.00
15618	Quinoez, Manuel	115.00	0	0	115.00	0	0	0
16630	Rodriguez, Candelario	5.75	0	0	0	0	5.75	5.75
16714	Roice, Ida M.	199.11	199.11	0	0	0	199.11	199.11
16492	Rothwell, Nancy	90.00	90.00	0	0	0	90.00	90.00
16565	Ruggles, John G.	45.00	45.00	0	45.00	0	0	0
15790	Scheerz, Paul	3.00	0	0	0	0	3.00	3.00
14431	Simmons, Arthur B.	145.46	0	0	0	0	41.46	41.46
16559	Smith, Charles E.	9.00	0	0	0	0	9.00	9.00
16283	Smith, Lena	222.04	222.04	0	222.04	0	0	0
16489	Stewlow, Herman	252.03	0	0	252.03	0	0	0
15559	Tamura, Frank	55.00	55.00	0	0	0	55.00	55.00
15970	Thomas, William A.	53.55	0	0	0	0	53.55	53.55
16568	Thrasher, Ezra	16.61	16.61	0	16.61	0	0	0
15778	Tirador, Sarafin C.	30.00	30.00	0	30.00	0	0	0
15782	Verdugo, Peter	189.69	0	0	0	0	189.69	189.69
16449	Walls, Auzv W.	285.13	0	0	0	0	51.53	51.53
16527	Webster, Margaret	36.52	36.52	0	0	0	36.52	36.52
16718	Wells, Cyrus R.	241.39	241.39	0	0	0	241.39	241.39
15020	White, Asa E.	28.47	28.47	0	0	0	28.47	28.47
16286	Williams, Edythe M.	.09	.09	0	0	0	.09	.09
15699	Winters, Nova E.	22.12	0	0	115.00	0	0	0
16535	Woods, George	115.00	0	0	32.75	0	0	0
16285	Wong, Foch Lung	32.75	0	0	83.77	0	0	0
15987	Yun, Chan Sic	83.77	83.77	0	9.29	0	0	0
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ALL THE ABOVE MONEYS RECEIVED IN BOTH REGULAR AND SUMMARY PROBATES HAVE BEEN DEPOSITED WITH THE TULARE COUNTY TREASURER.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
COUNTY OF TULARE ) ss.

JAY R. BALLANTYNE, BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, says: That I am and ever since the 5th day of January, 1959, have been the duly elected and acting Public Administrator of the County of Tulare, State of California; that the foregoing report is a true and correct report of all estates of decedents which have come into my hands as Public Administrator for the six months ending December 31, 1962; and that the value of each estate, the money which has come into my hands from each of said estates and what I have done with the same is correctly set forth herein.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of February, 1963  
ROSE V. AVERY (Seal)  
Notary Public in and for the County of Tulare, State of California

JAY R. BALLANTYNE  
Public Administrator of the County of Tulare, State of California

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
COUNTY OF TULARE ) ss.

JAY R. BALLANTYNE, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is the Public Administrator in and for the County of Tulare, State of California; that during the six months period ending December 31, 1962, he has not been interested in any expenditure made on account of any estate he has administered; nor has he been associated with any business or otherwise with any one who was so interested.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE

On April 5, 1963, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., at the street entrance of the City Hall, in the City of Tulare, County of Tulare, State of California, EDW. F. HALBERT and ROLAND E. MORRIS, as trustees, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, real property situated in the County of Tulare, State of California, and described as follows:

Lot Sixty-one (61) in Tract No. 243, in the County of Tulare, State of California, as per Map recorded in Book 21, Page 99 of Maps in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

The sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain deed of trust executed by GEORGE B. PILOTIN and ALICE I. PILOTIN, as trustees, to E. C. YOUNG and EDW. F. HALBERT, as trustees, for the benefit and security of GUARANTEE SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF TULARE, a California corporation, the named beneficiary, dated October 24th, 1957, and recorded November 14, 1957, in book 2021, page 757, Official Records of the mentioned County.

The undersigned trustee was appointed and substituted as trustee under the mentioned deed of trust by an instrument dated November 7, 1962, recorded November 9, 1962, in Book 2374, page 643, Official Records of the mentioned county, and executed by EDW. F. HALBERT and ROLAND E. MORRIS pursuant to the provisions of the deed of trust.

Notice of default and election to sell the described real property under the mentioned deed of trust was recorded in Book 2376, page 188, Official Records of the mentioned county.

Dated: March 1, 1963.

EDW. F. HALBERT  
RONALD E. MORRIS  
WILLIAM C. HAHESY  
Attorney at Law  
P. O. Box 1096,  
225 North M Street  
Tulare, California  
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DEMONSTRATION  
PRESENTED AT  
4-H MEETING

PLEASANT VIEW, Mar. 14 — Robert Santry and Gregory Dunbar presented their award winning demonstration to members of the Pleasant View 4-H club at their regular meeting recently. The boys represented Tulare county at the San Joaquin Valley 4-H Field day being held Saturday; title of their demonstration is "Porky" His Wholesale and Retail Cuts.

Kathleen Souza gave a demonstration on "Speech Etiquette".

Robert Santry, president of the club, thanked the members participating in the Heart Sunday drive which was sponsored by the Golden Rod Rebekah Lodge #200. Also, in honor of National 4-H Week, the committee preparing the window display at the Stork's Nest were thanked. Serving on the committee were Mike and Randy Overholt, Alberta and James Grimley.

A report was given by those who attended the Burton 4-H club skating party; 18 members, dressed in 4-H uniform, attended the Methodist church on the previous Sunday.

Project reports were given by Tim Callison on his sheep project, and Yolanda Racca on her cooking project.

Project books were observed and brought up to date, followed by group singing led by Dick and Donna Overholt and Robert Santry.

Refreshments were served by Johnny Hudson, chairman, assisted by Yvette Nickols, Donna Gibson and Robert Santry.

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California Valencia orange crop is estimated at 14,500,000 boxes, down 20 per cent from the 1965-60 average, but up 11 per cent over last season.

GAS COMPANY SHOWS  
BUSINESS GAINS

VISALIA, Mar. 14 — The Southern California Gas Company's San Joaquin Valley division, headquartered in Visalia, is now serving a total of 59,022 customers, according to an announcement by Division Manager G. A. Porter. In making the announcement, Porter explained that 1962 year-end statistics showed a gain of 1,246 meters over the total for 1961. As a part of an overall summary for the utility, Porter reported that the firm's total active meter count now stands at 1,806,423. This is a systemwide gain of about 41,000 meters during 1962.

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STUDENT GOVERNMENT CONFERENCE  
SET FOR COLLEGE CAMPUS SATURDAY

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 14—Some 200 delegates from 10 junior colleges in the Central California area will attend the semi-annual student government conference to be held Saturday on the Porterville College campus.

Arthur Van Horn, dean of student activities at the college, said delegates will attend from Reedley, Taft, Fresno, Coalinga, Santa Barbara, Barstow, Allan Hancock, Bakersfield, Sequoias, and Porterville colleges.

Special workshops will be in the area of school spirit and rallies, student government, publications, foreign students and international relations, social activities, assemblies and forums, intramural sports, and student body presidents' problems.

Porterville College students will be in charge of the preparation of workshop reports which will be made at the concluding general assembly to be held in the college library. The workshop meetings will be held in the morning following registration and the first

general assembly.

Mrs. Esther Bradley, dean of women at Porterville, will speak on "Eggheads Are In" at the luncheon meeting to be held at the high school cafeteria. Afternoon workshops will precede the final general assembly.

Porterville College students in charge of preparing for the conference include Carolyn Royer and Janet Falconer, program; Mickey Sutherland, publicity; Dan Nickols, food; and Deanna Orosco, resolutions workshop.

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## This Week . . . AROUND THE COUNTY

**WOODVILLE** — John Vanderhoof, son of Dr. Robert Vanderhoof, is raising starlings in co-operation with the county agricultural commissioner's office, in connection with studies to control this bird that seems to be increas-

ing in Tulare county and that can become a real trouble maker for agriculture.

**EXETER**—A new veteran memorial district is being petitioned for the Lemon Cove-Lindmore area; this area is now included in the Exeter Memorial district.

**LINDSAY** — Mr. and Mrs. Guy Webb, Lindsay pioneers, have been named grand host and hostess for the 17th Annual Orange Blossom Festival, April 19-21.

**LINDSAY** — Ticket sales have been limited to 400 for annual Fish and Game banquet in Lindsay, March 23.

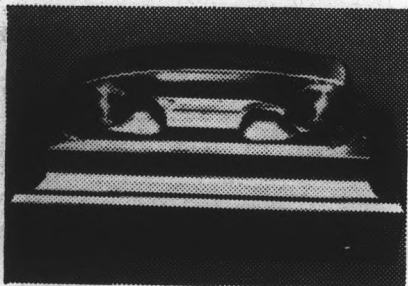
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**VISALIA** — Miss Tulare County Pageant will be presented May 18 by the Visalia Kiwanis club; girl selected as Miss Tulare county will vie for title of Miss California at Santa Cruz in June.

**TULARE** — Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hess have sold 320 acres of cotton and grain land near Tipton to Charles Slaughter, of Porterville, for \$160,000.

**VISALIA** — County and city building permits in Tulare county hit \$19,711,245 in 1962, an increase of more than \$2,000,000 over 1961; permits came to \$4,551,729 in Porterville, slightly less than Tulare and considerably less than Visalia.

**VISALIA** — Gene Wise, county veteran service officer, plans to resign April 1; he has completed 29 years in county service.

**TIPTON** — Paul Richert has been named by county supervisors to the Tulare County Welfare Advisory board, replacing Roscoe Honeycutt.

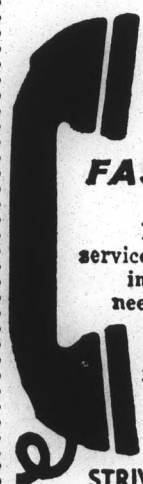
**VISALIA**—Supervisors have voted unanimously to put the new Visalia Justice Court building on the site now occupied by the historic Masonic hall.

**TERRA BELLA**—Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Klassen have sold 1,600 acres of grazing land 10 miles southwest of Tipton to Robert F. and Joseph H. Staller, of Los Angeles, for 440,000.

**DUCOR** — About 150 acres of choice citrus land just north of Ducor has been purchased from a Beverly Hill group by Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Prickett, of Fresno, for \$550,000.

### FIRST GIFT FOR CEREBRAL PALSY

**VISALIA, Mar. 14** — The first advance gift from Tulare county to the 1963 United Cerebral Palsy telethon, Saturday in Fresno, has been donated by Visalia area members of the Knudsen Creamery Employees' "Buck of the Month" club. A check for \$195 was presented by the club to the Tulare County Cerebral Palsy organization.



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**ARMY INSPECTION** of Porterville's National Guard unit was made last week with the above photo showing, from left: Lt. Curt Bryan, of Bakersfield; Porterville Mayor Jack Letsinger; Lt. Col. Howard D. Lowe, from the 6th Army at San Francisco; Capt.

John Garay, commanding officer of the Porterville Guard unit; and Capt. Armando Carrillo, of Burbank. Official report from Col. Lowe will be made after he compiles information taken during the inspection. (Farm Tribune photo)

## The Farm Tribune BILLBOARD

### MARCH

- 17—Springville V.F.W. Turkey Shoot
- 19—Public forum - Kenneth Richert
- 20—American Legion Birthday Party
- 26—Public forum — Mrs. Trudy Knapp
- 30—Jackass Mail Run To Springville
- 30—Springville Rodeo Queen Coronation Ball

### APRIL

- 2—City Election
- 3—L.A. Angels vs. Houston Colts
- 5-6-7—Springville Sierra Rodeo
- 6—Tulare County Symphony concert
- 6—Bartlett Invitational Track Meet
- 16—School Elections
- 19-21—Orange Blossom Festival, Lindsay

### MAY

- 2—Bartlett band and chorus concert

- 3-4—Porterville Roundup
- 4—Strathmore Homecoming
- 10—High school band concert
- 11—Community concert

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**NEW FLAG** was presented last Friday evening to the Porterville City library by Porterville Post 20, American Legion Auxiliary, with the above persons

### NEW BUILDING FOR VOCATIONAL ARTS AT COLLEGE

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 14—Construction has begun on an \$88,000 shop building to house a part of the technical and vocational arts program at the Porterville college. The Walker and Walker construction firm has the contract to complete the structure within 150 days, or before the start of the 1964 fall semester.

The new building will contain 8,000 square feet of floor space in its location at the north end of the campus, near the new Highway 190 traffic interchange. It will provide facilities for drafting classes, carpentry classes, a general shop work area, and a special work-shop, as well as for office, storage, and locker space.

Director O. H. Shires said completion of the building will make possible the moving of diesel mechanics and automotive tune-up classes which have been located in temporary quarters, and of the college carpentry class which has been conducted in high school shop space. He said the new facilities would make possible the expansion of the vocational and technical arts program at the college level.

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 14—Type III Polio vaccine was given to 8,800 persons at Porterville college last Sunday; in Tulare county, some 62,000 persons received the Sabin, oral protection against polio.



**NEW LIGHTS** on the north-south runway of the Porterville Municipal airport were officially turned on last Thursday evening, with photos showing Porterville Mayor Jack Letsinger pushing an official button; also Frank



Blow, of Hanford, who was the first pilot to land and take off with the new lights. A number of pilots dropped in during the evening, and several passenger hops were made over the city. (Farm Tribune photos)

California's lemon crop, grown principally in Ventura county, is now estimated at 11 million boxes, 28 per cent below last season.

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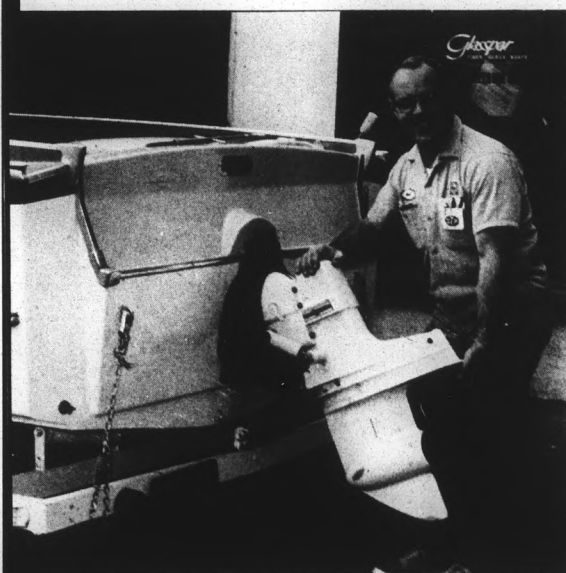
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Is there an answer . . . Is there a way to plan ahead that is also a way out against continuing inflation?

Many people believe so. Many people believe that American industry will continue to expand and that by sharing in the future of American industry, their dollars will have a chance to grow to meet or possibly surpass the cost of inflation. While there is no assurance that inflation will continue, it has happened in the past, and, at the same time, there is no assurance that inflation will not continue.

No one wants their home to burn down. Yet, everyone buys an insurance policy to provide themselves with protection just in case it does. So should you buy some protection against the potential decline in the buying power of your hard earned dollars. You had better buy insurance and not need it than need it and not have it.

One of the most satisfactory ways of combating inflation is to invest in Mutual Funds. While there is no guarantee that Mutual Funds will continue to perform in opposite direction of inflation, the performance of past years and decades indicates rewarding results. In any case, it deserves your study as a possible solution.

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### Time Out

By Davis Harp

### BASEBALL IS SO PREDICTABLE; WHAT ABOUT FIBRE GLASS POLE?

The spring thaw is upon the country and the ice and snow will begin to melt. New sprouts will turn the lawns green again and the bears and baseball players will come out of hibernation.

The only trouble with baseball is that it is predictable. Each season starts just like the one before. There are the hold-outs. Was there ever a spring training season when everyone came to camp signed and happy? We always have one or two major hold-outs and a whole slough of minor ones. This year it's the San Francisco Giants' Orlando Cepeda. The Giants are trying to cut the big slugger's salary after last year's only fair season (he hit 33 home runs). Orlando claims he had a good season and that he is going to stay right at home in Puerto Rico until the Giant organization sees his side of the argument. The Giant front office (whatever happened to the nuclear test ban talks?) claims that Orlando was terrible during the second half of the season and was no help at all in the world's series.

Orlando will sign, sooner or later, and then the world can heave a sigh of relief and go on in its orbital flight about the sun.

And then there's the problem of the fiber-glass pole. What in the world are we going to do about it?

The other day a college sophomore using a fiber-glass pole cleared 16'3" and some tenths inches. Last year the sophomores were having trouble getting a dozen people into a single telephone

booth and this year one sets a world record in the pole vault. Guess the kids are growing up.

There are those who claim that there should be two world's records in the event. One for those who use the fiber-glass pole and one for those who do not use it. The fiber-glass pole is so strong and flexible that it actually catapults the vaulter over the cross-bar which has the non-fiber-glass-pole chanting "it's the pole, not the man."

When unheard of college sophomores begin soaring over the 16-foot mark, then maybe we have over-implemented the track and field world. At any rate, it is a weighty problem, possibly one that the new frontier could take up along with 50 mile hiking.

### THUNDERING LIE

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thundering lie, suh, but I suspect you have been duped by certain Yankee sympathizers and black-legs who seek to sow the seeds of further dissention among the ranks, and in order to set the matter at rights, I feel it incumbent on me to advise your excellent organization of the true state of affairs, suh.

It is true, suh, that I found it necessary to take command of the committee formed to foster this portentous event, but even this expedient was resorted to by me only to put an end to the lolly-gaggin' and pussyfootin' suh, that had prevented cohesive action by this body hithertofore. It is likewise true, suh, that I have thus far refused to name a Wagonmaster, simply because there has been entirely too much unseemly clamouring for the position by various prominent citizens and I felt that appointment to this high civilian office at this time would only serve to create further outcry and dissention amongst disappointed office-seekers. Your untimely announcement however, suh, has forced my hand at a most inappropriate time and I intend to make my decision known to the committee at this week's meeting.

I must further state to you suh, that I find the imputation left by your broadcast that a Southern Officer would use his position in anyway to his own aggrandizement outrageous, suh, and I demand and expect a suitable retraction at the earliest.

Yours Respectfully,  
Robert C. Natzke, Col. C.O.B.L.

### STRATHMORE CHAMBER TO GIVE TROPHY

STRATHMORE, Mer. 14 — Directors of the Strathmore chamber of commerce have voted to contribute a perpetual trophy to the Porterville fair.

Final arrangement for the purchase of the trophy and for its placing in the fair is being handled by Wade Miller and Bob Serbian, working with Bruce Ward, who heads the awards division of the fair.

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WHAT'S RIGHT with the younger generation? Here is an example. The above senior high school students are all winners in Elks Lodge leadership and scholarship contests, from left, Jennifer Goux, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Warren Goux of Porterville, who was an Elk's district winner in leadership; Miss Evelyn Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carter, of Strathmore, second-place district leadership winner and one of three scholarship winners; Edward Valenzuela, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Tony Valenzuela, of Lindsay, scholarship winner; and Jane Ellen Muller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Muller, of Ducor, also a scholarship winner. All were selected as tops in their particular schools, Miss Goux and Miss Muller, Porterville high school; Miss Carter, Strathmore high; and Valenzuela, Lindsay high. Porterville Elks lodge committee in charge of awards is: Bill Lankford, Cameron Goode and Phil Lindgren.

(Farm Tribune photo)

### "BREATH OF SPRING" MAKES GOOD WATCHING WITHOUT NEED TO THINK

By Bill Rodgers

"Breath of Spring", the current attraction at the Barn, is described in some of its press releases as "zany comedy".

Our good friend Mr. Webster tells us that zany, the adjective, means crazy, clownish, idiotic, so for once we agree with press releases.

"Breath of Spring" is a zany comedy. Which is all right, since one can watch this zany comedy with a certain amount of amusement and enjoyment without being put upon to use the brain or imagination.

It's hardly the Barn's greatest, but neither is it the Barn's worst — far from it. It's a zany comedy that you can relax at and get amused at, and laugh at. Is there a better way to spend an evening now and then?

As for those persons who assume zany roles in this zany comedy, we'll have to toss our bouquet to Toni Miller, the veteran trouper who has brought many pleasant moments to patrons of the Barn through the years.

Toni makes the right moves at the right time in the right way and it's good to see her back of the lights again.

Much the same can be said for Hal Munter. He creates a character — a zany character — and he does it well; in watching Hal, it is pretty obvious that he has trod the boards a couple of times before.

Winnie Trafton ebbs and flows, flashing often enough, but not really consistent. But still, all right, and certainly zany.

Fran Bellamy has her moments, gets her laughs, and we have the feeling that she could be directed into a real show stopper if she sticks around the Barn.

Mary Jane Berry somehow just

misses being really convincing.

Leslie Andrews, a Porterville high school girl in her first theatrical experience, has a ways to go — what to do and a bit of voice projection to the back row. But we sort of think she'll come along if the Barn bug bites her, and we hope it does.

Bill Jameson and Bill Berry don't exactly stop the show, but, after all, they appear in what might be called bit, bit parts.

In total the show jumped along quite well last Friday night, building up to zany moments of zany confusion, and by the final performances tomorrow and Saturday

### LEGAL NOTICE

**VANDALIA IRRIGATION DISTRICT**  
Condensed Financial Report  
For the year ending December 31, 1962

Cash on Hand and in Bank,	
December 31, 1961	\$18,541.75
Total Receipts	60,072.29
Total	\$78,614.04
Total Disbursements	46,554.38
Cash on hand and in bank,	
December 31, 1962	\$32,059.66

I, Marjorie M. Meier, Treasurer of the Vandalia Irrigation District, do certify that the above Financial Statement is true to the best of my knowledge.

MARJORIE M. MEIER, Treasurer  
Vandalia Irrigation District

**TEA POT DOME WATER DISTRICT**  
Condensed Financial Report  
January 1, 1962 - December 31, 1962

Cash on Hand,	
January 1, 1962	\$ 5,613.68
Total Receipts	64,595.01
Total	\$70,208.69
Total Approved Expenditures	55,958.35
Cash on Hand and in Bank,	
December 31, 1963	\$14,250.34
Transferred to Inactive deposit	12,000.00

Cash on Hand  
January 1, 1963 \$ 2,250.34  
I, Marjorie M. Meier, Treasurer of the Tea Pot Dome Water District, do certify that the above Financial Statement is true to the best of my knowledge.

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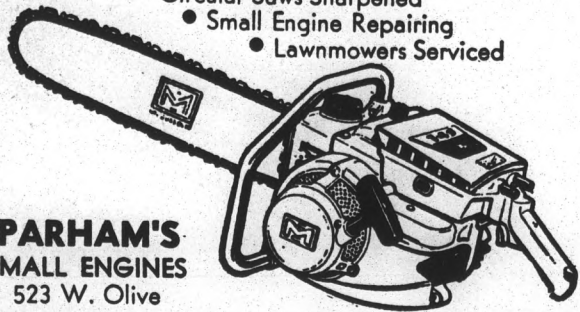


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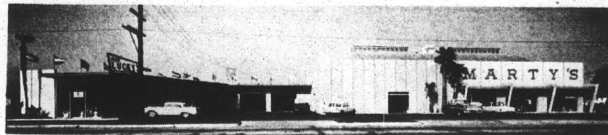
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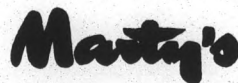
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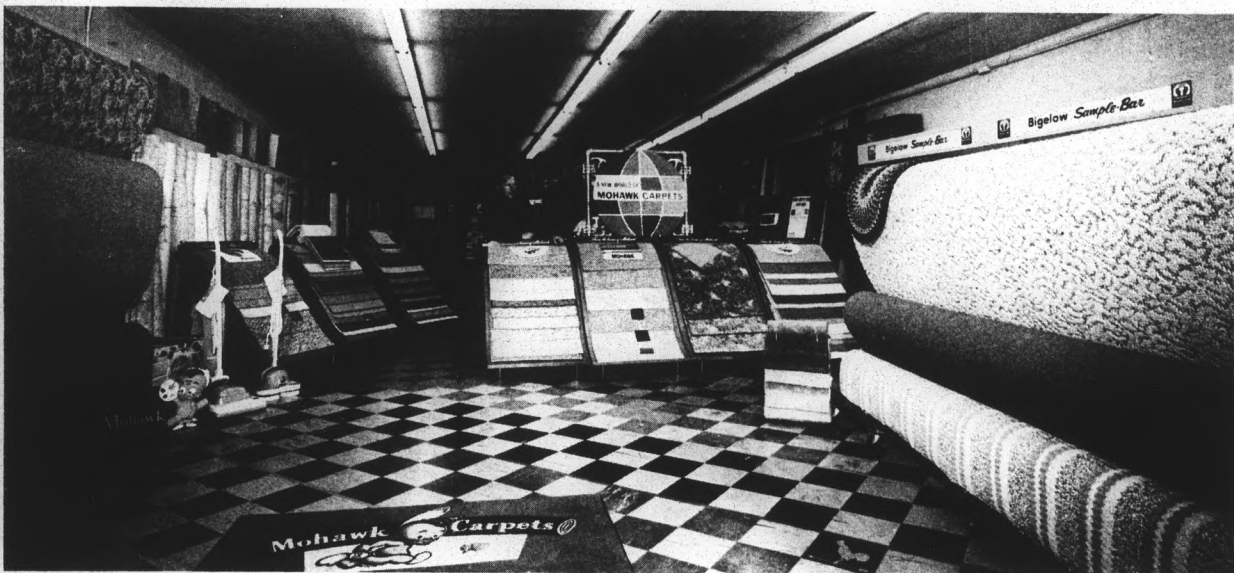
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**PORTERVILLE CITY** Employees' association played host to the central chapter of the League of California City Employees at a dinner meeting at the Paul Bunyan restaurant Saturday night, with 55 persons attending from Santa Cruz, Fresno, Santa Maria, Hanford and Porterville. In upper photo, from left: Sam C. Taylor, president of the California League of City Employees, and Mrs. Taylor; Joe Alexander, Central Chapter chairman

and Shirley Gemmell, chapter secretary. Lower, from left, Charles Geoble, Porterville vice-mayor, who welcomed the group, and Mrs. Geoble; and Charles Moll, president of the Porterville group, with Mrs. Moll. Discussion centered around pending legislation in Sacramento, particularly AB 1966 that would authorize city employee groups to organize as their own bargaining agents. (Farm Tribune photos)



**EXECUTIVE'S CLUB** speaker at the Porterville Women's clubhouse next Monday evening will be Philip Cummings, who will discuss "Southeast Asians". Cummings is a news analyst, economic consultant, educator, and geographer; during the past two years he has been in the "hot spots" of both Africa and Southeastern Asia; for many years he has been a world traveler and observer of world affairs.



**RAY McKNIGHT**, assistant manager of the Tule River Cooperative Gin at Woodville for eight years and now president of the Woodville chamber of commerce, will devote full time to management of the Strout Realty Inc. office at 1525 West Olive in Porterville. McKnight was born in Lindsay and educated in San Bernardino schools; he has farmed in the Lindsay area and is a Navy veteran of World War II.



**CITY CHAIRMAN** for the United Cerebral Palsy Telethon this weekend is Chester A. Powers, above, principal of the high school at Porterville State hospital. "Volunteers are needed in the Cerebral Palsy drive", Powers says, and urges persons willing to work to phone Porterville 784-0588. The telethon will originate from the Fresno Memorial Auditorium over KJEO TV, starting at 10 p.m. Saturday and running through 4 p.m. Sunday. Among stars participating will be Raymond Burr, Jack Smith, Jay North, Illene Woods, and others. (Farm Tribune photo)

## SPRINGVILLE

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Queen and her attendants will be announced at the Coronation dance, March 30.

Judges in the personality contest were: Mrs. Carolyn Culver, of Porterville; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Burton, of Shafter; and Wes Kutzner, of Springville.

### WATER IS THEME FOR '64 BANQUET

**TERRA BELLA**, Mar. 14 — Directors of the Terra Bella chamber of commerce have set "Water" as the theme of their 1964 banquet, according to Cliff Trotter, chamber president.

## Certification

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Voicing opposition to the budwood certification program was Don C. Miller, of Orosi. He said such a program would be inadequate; would favor large nurserymen, and would work a hardship on small growers. His alternative was the establishing of legal responsibility for damage by infected budwood.

Farm Advisor Karl Opitz said that some other citrus growers agreed with Miller, but said that certification and inspection are essential to the citrus industry.

## RIDERS

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The 18-mile juant by horseback and horse-drawn vehicle is a preliminary to the Springville Sierra rodeo that is set for the following weekend. The mail run also commemorates the historic "Jackass Mail" of early California days — the title given to the feeder lines into the foothills off the main lines, such as the Butterfield Over-

## BERRYHILL HEADS ADMINISTRATORS

**PORTERVILLE**, Mar. 14. — Dick Berryhill, vice principal at Porterville high school, has been elected president of District 15, California Association of Secondary School administrators.

Special Jackass Mail stamps, issue No. 2, are on sale at the offices of Porterville and Springville chambers of commerce for "four bits". Letters with these stamps, mailed at the Porterville or Springville chamber, will be carried by the Jackass Mail to Springville and will be delivered there at "mail call", or will be mailed to any address, provided they also carry the necessary U.S. postage.

The Jackass Mail run will receive metropolitan press coverage and will be filmed by at least one television station. Lunch stop will be made along the Tule river, just below the middle fork crossing, and there will be big doin's along the river at the historic Soda spring when the Jackass Mail cavalcade reaches Springville.

## SIERRA RODEO

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Springville Sierra Rodeo association along highway 190 in the foothills of the Sierra.

Providing stock for the rodeo will be Andy Jauregui, of Newhall, who is one of the West Coast's top suppliers of broncs, bulls and roping calves. He has been in the rodeo game for 30 years, as a world champion cowboy and stock contractor.

The rodeo is being produced by the Springville Sierra Rodeo association, an organization that includes directors from all of Springville's civic, farm and veteran groups.

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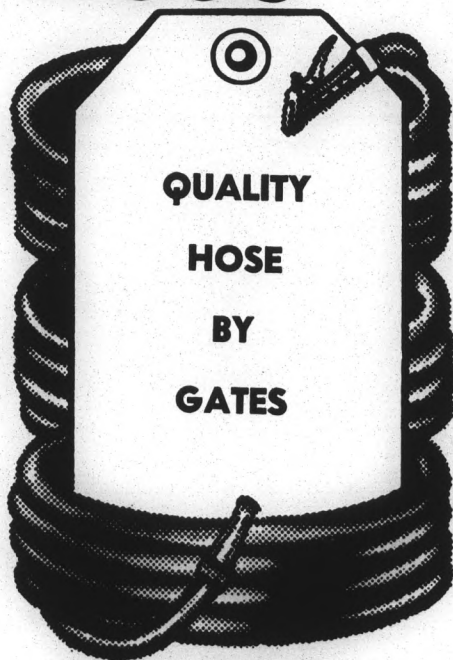
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